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World History

**Details about Era 1 Belief Systems**

**Part 1: Your HW Research**

*Instructions: After you are assigned a religion/belief system, you will conduct general research which you will share with others next class. Everyone except students researching Confucianism should use the BBC’s website about world religions for their research. Those researching Confucianism should use a website from Scholastic and Patheos. The specific addresses are below:*

* *All assigned religions except Confucianism, use the BBC:* [*http://www.bbc.co.uk/religion/religions/*](http://www.bbc.co.uk/religion/religions/)
  + *NOTE: Once there, look for your specific religion and browse through relevant pages about it.*
* *Confucianism*
  + *Use Patheos:* [*http://www.patheos.com/Library/Confucianism*](http://www.patheos.com/Library/Confucianism)
  + *And, use Scholastic:* [*http://www.scholastic.com/teachers/article/confucianism*](http://www.scholastic.com/teachers/article/confucianism)

*In your research, be sure to answer the following questions:*

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| **Name of Belief System You’re Researching:** |
| 1.) Is this considered a religion or philosophy? |
| 2.) Is there a belief in a God? If so, is this belief system monotheistic or polytheistic? |
| 3.) Who is the founder? Mention a few things about him/her. |
| 4.) What does this belief system say about life after death? |
| 5.) What is/are the “main teaching/s” of this belief system? |
| Anything else you want to mention: |